

# Dawon Yang

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## EDUCATION

### Rhode Island School of Design (RISD)

Providence, RI / September 2019 - June 2024

Bachelor's Fine Art Industrial Design

Semester Honors: Spring 2022 / Fall 2022 / Fall 2023

## SKILLS

### Technical

Design Thinking

User Research

Concept Sketching

### Design

Model Making

Prototyping

Wood Working

User Testing

Problem Solving

Consumer Product

Furniture Design

### Software

Photoshop

Illustrator

Lightroom

InDesign

Rhino

Keyshot

## EXPERIENCE

### Wood Shop Monitor

RISD Industrial Design Department

Providence RI / January 2023 - May 2024

- Supervise and assist safe operations of machinery and hand tools in the shop
- Assist professors and shop technicians for preparing their classes

### Model Shop Monitor

RISD Industrial Design Department

Providence RI / January 2023 - May 2024

- Supervise and assist safe operations of machines and tools
- Assist students working on their projects

### ITDA Exhibition

Point A to Point B: Triptych of Transformation  
2024 Online Virtual Exhibition

- How did information, idea, or material change from one place to another?

## RELATED COURSES

### Design Principles

RISD ID / Fall 2021 & Spring 2022

Developed critical thinking, concept generation, drawing, model making and presentation skills.

Also, emphasis on problem solving, design process and skills. Created new design and made product prototypes.

### Wood 1 & 2

RISD ID / Spring 2022 & Fall 2022

Developed wood working skills using hand tools, and basic milling machines: the table saw, jointer, thickness planer and others.

### Furniture Concepts

RISD ID / Fall 2022

Developed through an iterative and refined approach of physical scale models in low and high fidelity materials.

### Chair Studio

RISD ID / Spring 2023

Challenge between form and function of a chair and develop chairs that are comfortable and structurally sound.

### Advanced CAD

RISD ID / Fall 2023

Develop advanced CAD techniques for 3D modeling and rendering using Rhino.

## LANGUAGES

English - Fluent

Korean - Fluent